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Description: ff. ii + 104 + i - Nineteenth century. Black, hard-grained goatskin, blind-tooled. - Belonged to the library of the Abbey of Gethsemani in Kentucky (MS 16) which bought it in 1921 from Wilfrid M. Voynich. Acquired in April 1964 from the private collector Laurence Taylor Greer by H. P. Kraus. Presented in 1968 by Kraus to the Beinecke Library. - Shailor, B. Catalogue of Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, MS 354.

Notes: -Manuscript on paper of The Life of Saint Bernard (Vita I, recensio A). Book I by William of Saint-Thierry; epilogue to Book I by Burchard of Balerna; Book II by Arnold, abbot of Bonneval; and Books III-V by Geoffrey of Clairvaux.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

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Language: Latin *Country:* Flanders (France) *Century:* 16th

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Part 1:

Description: - paper - similar in design to Briquet Main 11423-29. - 273 x 197 (201 x 140) mm.

Country: Flanders (France)

Cardinal point:

Region: Flanders (?)

City:

Assigned Date: [between 1500 and 1550]

Searchable Date Range: 1500 - 1550

Dated by scribe: No

Inscribed Date:

Document: No

Number of Scribes:

Script: Written by the scribe Valerius de Meyen (d. 1556) in neat gothic bookhand exhibiting batarde influence.

Notes: Decorative initials, divided red and blue, 5- to 4-line, at the beginning of each book. Plain German initials in red throughout. Initial strokes, headings, corrections, in red. At least two hands responsible for rubrications; portions of red initials are oxidizing. Binding: Nineteenth century. Black, hard-grained goatskin, blind-tooled.

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Author: William of Saint-Thierry, Abbot of Saint-Thierry ca. 1085-1148?

Other Associate: Geoffrey of Auxerre 12th cent.

Title: Vita S. Bernardi, etc.

Subjects: Bernard, of Clairvaux, Saint, 1090 or 91-1153.; William, of Saint-Thierry, Abbot of Saint-Thierry, ca. 1085-1148?; Cistercians.; Devotional literature, Latin (Medieval and modern); Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.;

Language(s): Latin
